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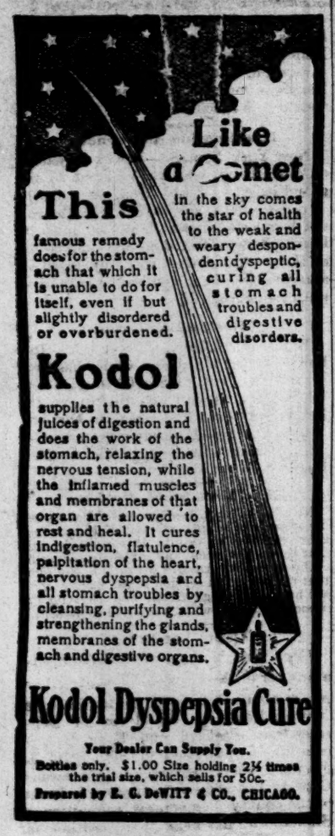
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BURNED AT STAKE.

Steve Aron, a negro, twenty years old, was burned at the stake at 8 o'clock last night for assaulting Mrs. S. H. Norris, near Howard, Tex., last Monday. He was identified and confessed.

Aron was arrested at Italy at 5 p. m., and a mob of 200 farmers prepared to lynch him. He was taken to Howard and given two hours to live for prayers, &c. Then he was to be burned. All the farmers in the surrounding neighborhood were notified to come and watch the burning.

At 7 o'clock, the hour set for the burning, the negro was given another hour to live. Aron at 6:15 begged piteously not to be burned, but to be hanged or shot. The mob decided to vote on it, and the majority voted for burning. Aron then asked that his sister and brother, eight miles away, be called upon the telephone to bid him good-by. They pleaded to the mob over the telephone not to kill their brother till they could get to see him for the last time. The mob gave them till eight o'clock to reach Howard and see the doomed man. They started at once across the country to Howard.

The negro was burned at the hour named. His struggles and moanings stopped in five minutes after the fire was lighted. The fire burned for an even thirty minutes after the application of the match, and nothing but embers, smoke, and the charred remains marked the spot.

The mob was comparatively quiet and orderly, and soon dispersed. The bones and ashes of the victim were gathered up by his brother and sister.

Aron was taken to the Jordan Brown farm at 8 o'clock. A barn, donated by the owner of the farm, was torn down and the lumber used as firewood, which was packed up about the victim.

Aron in his confession, made while preparations to burn him were being made, said:

"I am twenty-one years old. I have a brother and five sisters in Ellis county. I came from Mexia to Howard in October, 1904, and picked cotton. Since then I have been working around. I went to the Norris home last Monday morning and went away at 1:30 that afternoon. I went to the back door of the Norris home and saw the woman sitting on a bed, with her back to me. I never said anything to her. I struck her on the side of the head with my fist. I hit her four or five times in the face and knocked her off the bed onto the floor."

When he had confessed, Aron was stripped of his clothing, and fingernail marks were found on his body, evidently where the assaulted woman had left her mute testimony.

Mrs. Norris is still in a very critical condition.

China Awakening.

An important edict has been issued in Peking in response to the memorial of Yuan Shi Ki and other prominent men, abolishing examinations for the old system of degrees.

By means of this system, established from time immemorial, China has recruited government officers. The idea of obtaining by competitive examination the best educated men is essentially good, but it has been rendered entirely futile by the knowledge demanded. Hitherto, the aspirant for honors was required to be proficient in the writings of Confucius and other classics, the ability to compose essays in a particular form constituting really a kind of literary jugglery. The learning so acquired was entirely useless for practical purposes, while the close study required to attain the necessary knowledge prevented attention to other modern and more useful subjects. Moreover, the posts of honor always falling to the lot of successful candidates thus educated discouraged efforts in the direction of western learning.

In future, officers will be recruited from the ranks of those educated according to the modern system in schools to be established throughout the country. Examinations will be held in the various schools and not in the central towns as formerly. This edict offers the strongest inducement to the Chinese to acquaint themselves with western learning and will prove a most effective means for China's salvation.

Another edict advocates the dispatch of increasing numbers of students abroad, chiefly to America and England.

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New Anglo-Japanese Pact.

A dispatch from Paris says that although copies of the Anglo-Japanese treaty have not yet reached the powers, its principal changes from the former treaty are known in diplomatic and official quarters. One of the highest of these states that the principal new features are the following:

First—The provision in the old treaty making the alliance applicable only to the Chinese littoral is enlarged to include all Asia up to the line crossing Persia from north to south indicated by the fifty-first degree of east longitude. The significance of this change is the inclusion of India, and also Indo-China, where France has suspected Japan of having designs.

The effect of the change tends to preserve the present status quo of French authority in Indo-China and the status quo in India.

Second—The provision in the old treaty making the alliance operative if either ally is attacked by two powers is changed so that the alliance becomes effective when either is attacked by one power.

Third—The primary underlying principle of the treaty is defensive and the maintenance of existing conditions.

How Storms are Made.

A dispatch to the Chicago Record-Herald from St. Louis says:

Dr. W. J. McGee, who was head of the anthropological department of the World's Fair, was in St. Louis yesterday on his way back to Washington, after a remarkable four month's experiment in the great American desert in Arizona, in which he says he discovered how storms are bred in the region which has long been termed the storm-breeding' belt. "A reservoir of aqueous vapor is formed over the Pacific Coast and the Gulf of California", he said, "and this swings over the storm-breeding belt. The ground here is perfectly level, and the radiation from the earth's surface is consequently regular and even. The heat radiation from the desert is, of course, very great. This strong radiation by its regularity keeps the aqueous vapor high above the earth in a stable condition. When the vapor moves eastward over the mountains and meets the irregular radiation that comes from the uneven surface of the earth a precipitation of the vapor results, causing rain and storms."

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For white children—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 11, 12 and 13, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

For colored children—Thursday and Friday, September 14 and 15, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

In order that the schools may be properly organized, no permits will be issued after the 15th until the 25th. Those wishing to secure seats for their children will bring their city capitation tax receipts for the year 1905.
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GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERmaster's Department, Washington, D. C., September 6th, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Thursday, September 21, 1905, for furnishing and delivering 700 cubic yards of rock along the roadway leading from south end Aqueduct Bridge, Va., to the Arlington National Cemetery. Full particulars may be obtained on applying to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Rock," and addressed to Captain A. W. Butt, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 7th day of September, 1905.

Mary Boyce vs. George P. Boyce } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant, Mary Boyce, from the defendant, George P. Boyce.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, George P. Boyce, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE:
JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q.
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VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 6th day of September, 1905.

Samuel L. Bell vs. Carrie M. Bell } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute decree divorcing from the bonds of matrimony the said Samuel L. Bell, forever, from the said Carrie M. Bell.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Carrie M. Bell, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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FRIDAY EVENING. SEP. 8. 1905.

TODAY'S dispatches from Tokio represent conditions in that city as still serious, and there is no telling how high the tide of disorder is to make. The anti-foreign fever is likely to become epidemic. Ten Christian churches have been burned, as well as many street cars, while buildings have been set on fire and others damaged in various ways. There is considerable anxiety in Russia as to the probable spread of the insurrection in that country. Already over one thousand persons have been killed, the military using artillery upon the turbulent elements with terrible effect. Millions of dollars worth of property have been destroyed, and peaceable people are fleeing for their lives from the storm centres. To add to such horrors famine prevails in some places. Other countries are also in the midst of troubles. Famine is staring at millions of East Indiamen, and many people in Spain are on the verge of starvation. In addition to all these woes an earthquake last night laid some places in Italy in ruins, and it is believed that one hundred persons were buried in the debris of their homes. The progress of cholera in Germany is alarming that country, and no little anxiety is apparent in the United States lest the dread disease should invade the cities of the Atlantic coast.

MR. SLEMP, the only republican member of Congress from Virginia, until he establishes his own organ (if he will really do so) gives out his ridiculous interviews to Washington papers which, as ridiculously, publish them. In his latest Mr. Slemp calls on Mr. Swanson to resign his seat in Congress, and says that Judge Lewis will defeat him for Governor of Virginia. Such predictions show Mr. Slemp to be a poor politician, and those who read his forecasts are curious to know how he will explain next November when the vote shall have been counted. The democrats in the primary last month cast 81,000 votes, and Mr. Roosevelt last November received only 48,000. Where will Mr. Slemp get the votes to elect Judge Lewis? He must remember that he cannot measure the State with his Ninth district rule.

THE Swiss town of Zurich has taken a step toward the municipalization of medicine, and puts a poll tax of 8 cents per head on all the population over 16 years old sufficient to make an income of $100,000 to pay the doctors. Forty doctors will get $2,500 each, and for this sum they must give all needed attention to all citizens of the commune, young or old. This is getting medical service at a cheap rate, and other Swiss towns are giving attention to the experiment, and if it succeeds may try it themselves, with the possibility that it may find its way into other countries besides Switzerland. This would not be a popular move among the doctors in America, for it is not an uncommon thing for many of them to get $2,500 for a single case.

CONSUL GENERAL RODGERS, at Shanghai, cabled the State Department again yesterday that "the general opinion is that the boycott is practically abandoned here, at least for the present, and the latest reports from other parts of China indicate that the situation in respect to the boycott against American goods is much improved." Similar telegrams have been received weekly from Shanghai and other Chinese cities, but the boycott doesn't seem to stay abandoned. Nor will it till this country abandons the ill treatment of the Chinese.

THE New York World gives ten reasons why Roosevelt will be re-elected to another term in the Presidency. "But," the Philadelphia Record says, "there are two lions in the way. (1) Mr. Roosevelt has said he will not have another term. (2) He could not hope to keep on the up grade. He has reached the summit. A second term would be a stepping down to lower levels." The Record should remember that Mr. Roosevelt does not think that anything he does is a step downward. A third term to him would be a cap on the summit.

THE INCREASED price of meats in Germany have caused the butchers in 50 or 60 cities to petition the government to admit live animals free of duty. The granting of the petition would have the desired effect in Germany just as it would have in the United States. Under the present tariff laws the meat trusts have the power to set the price both for buying and selling cattle. This could be broken up at once if cattle from Mexico and Canada were allowed to come into the United States free of duty.

AT Buckingham Palace it is believed that a young society woman who for nearly a year has had a responsible position in the royal household has eloped with a French chef, recently engaged at the palace on the recommendation of the Duchess of Marlborough. The lady is a daughter of an ex-officer in the British army and is well-known for her many accomplishments. This goes one better than American heiresses who elope with their coachmen.

THE REPORT of the commissioner of pensions just published, shows that on June 30, 1905, the pension roll contained the names of 684,608 survivors of the civil war. If there are all these left forty years after the close of hostilities, it would take an expert accountant to tell how many men there were in the northern army from the beginning to the end of the war.

A RETURN to customs in vogue in the days of Spanish rule in the Philippines is planned by the island government. It has evidently been found out that it is hard to teach old dogs new tricks.

AND now, with all the other woes, some people are talking of firing the straw hat gun. This is a hard world.

From Washington.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., Sept. 8.

Acting Secretary of War Oliver has approved the report of Major Strong who made the inspection of the alleged irregularities at the Schuylkill Arsenal, at Philadelphia. He has also instructed the judge advocate general to prepare papers for submission to the Department of Justice for the inauguration of criminal proceedings against Morris Busch, one of the contractors concerned, and Robert Charlton, an inspector, for conspiracy to defraud the United States government. It is also directed that an expert be assigned to make an immediate inspection of goods furnished on the contract awarded Busch or others, and a demand be made to replace all such articles as may be inferior to the contract samples. Inspector Charlton and Examiner F. T. Quinlan are directed to show cause why they should not be discharged from the government service for incompetency in the performance of their inspection duties. The charge is that through the faulty inspection by the government agent Busch was permitted to furnish an inferior quality of goods at the arsenal. As a result of the revelations of irregularities in the Schuylkill Arsenal, acting Secretary of War Oliver today issued orders that a careful inspection be made by officers especially detailed for that purpose of the big quartermasters' depots at Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, New Orleans, San Francisco, Jeffersonville, Ind., and Seattle, Wash.

As a result of a drunken brawl at 8 o'clock this morning, Richard Chase, colored, brutally murdered his brother, Harry Chase, by hitting him in the head near Half and G streets, southwest. The police were notified almost immediately and Richard's arrest followed in less than an hour while he was walking the street about four blocks away from the scene of the murder. Richard showed up for work this morning in an intoxicated condition and when asked by his brother to go to work and quit loafing, he replied in a manner that brought on the fight. His brother, a stronger and much larger man, was having all the best of it until Richard picked up a sledgehammer and struck his brother on the head. Henry fell like a log, his head crushed to a jelly from the force of the blow. Richard when arrested told the policeman everything. He stated that his brother Henry was always trying to run things in his own fashion and that he was not going to stand for it any longer. When the detectives from the central office arrived at the 4th precinct station, where Chase is held, the enormity of his crime flashed upon him. He sobered up and refused to say anything except that he had to defend himself when his brother Henry attacked him.

Mm. H. McCalley has been appointed postmaster at Mica, Caroline county Va.,

COURT OF APPEALS.

In the Court of Appeal at Staunton yesterday in the case of Thompson vs. Camper the motion to increase the supersedeas bond was denied.

Middle States Building and Construction Company vs. Miller, Circuit Court of Rockingham county, was argued and submitted.

Wilson vs. Miller, from Circuit Court of Rockingham county, was agued and submitted.

The next cases to be heard are Berry vs. Fishburne and Black's administrator vs. Portland Cement Company.

Killed by Automobile.

Violet Springman, eleven years old, was struck by an automobile operated by Gilbert J. Osterman, on Eleventh street, near G street, southeast Washington, last night, and almost instantly killed. Her skull was fractured and her body was frightfully mangled. Osterman and his brother Fred, who were in the auto, were arrested and locked up charged with manslaughter. An inquest will be held this afternoon at the morgue, where the child's body was removed. The little girl was the daughter of George W. Springman, a laborer, who lives at 634 M street southeast. Last night Violet, with Mary Brown, Lucy and Annie Bolton, and several other companions, was playing in the street. The child was running from one curb to another, playing a game called "goal," when the automobile struck her. The machine continued on its run for about twenty yards before coming to a stop, when the body of the child dropped from the back of the automobile.

Strike of Mail Drivers.

There was practically no delay in New York yesterday in the collection and distribution of mail in the business districts affected by the strike of 300 drivers in the employ of the New York Mail Company. Postmaster W. E. Wilcox issued a statement to this effect last night, and said further that the strike was one which did not concern the postal officials so long as the contractors continued to handle the mails regularly and without delay. He said he understood the contractors found no difficulty in securing drivers yesterday, and that he contemplated no delay if police protection is continued. A message from Washington offering immediate assistance to the New York Mail Company if it should be needed came early yesterday, but even preceeding this offer there were 400 applicants at the stables seeking the positions left vacant by the striking drivers. Today's dispatches from New York say that the strike is practically a failure.

News of the Day.

Hamburg Belle, the 2-to-5 favorite, won the Flight Stakes at Sheepshead Bay yesterday, duplicating her victory of last year in the same stakes.

Venezuela has expelled the manager or the French Cable Company because he protested against the closing of the company's offices.

The French Catholics in a suburb of Montreal have mobbed a newly establish Salvation Army station, and seriously injured some of those living there.

The Southern Cotton Association, in convention at Kenilworth Inn, Asheville, N. C., last night, established a minimum price of eleven cents for the incoming cotton crop.

An official bulletin in Berlin announces that 15 new cases of cholera and 6 deaths were reported during the 24 hours ending at noon yesterday, making a total of 105 cases and 32 deaths. Numerous cholera inspection stations have been established in and near the infected territory.

The story of the transfer of James H. Hyde's stock in the Equitable Life Assurance Society to Thomas F. Ryan was told before the investigating committee in New York yesterday. Frederick Cromwell, treasurer of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, admitted that he, as well as other officers and trustees of the Mutual, had participated in underwriting syndicates, which sold bonds to that institution at a profit.

While walking along the streets of McConnelsville, O., yesterday, Marshal H. G. Porter, of that city, was shot and instantly killed by a well-known young man named Woodie Stewart, a brother of the county clerk of Morgan county. Stewart has long been regarded as of unsound mind, though never before did he do a violent act. He has no known grudge against the marshal and no cause can be assigned for the crime.

Two persons were killed, one of them a girl sixteen years old, when a building at Grand and Mott streets, New York, collapsed yesterday. The building is said to have been condemned two years ago, but had been permitted to be occupied since. Thomas McGovern, a foreman in the building department, is under arrest in connection with the collapse on a charge of criminal negligence. Nearly a score of persons were injured, some suffering from broken limbs.

Russia's and Japan's Troubles.

Rioting continues in Tokio, where martial law has been declared. The demonstration is said to be against the government and not foreigners. The bitterness against the government is intensified, and the Mikado is urged to refuse to ratify the treaty of what is termed "a disgraceful, humiliating peace." Baron Komura says the Mikado will ratify the treaty. Failure of the government to fully make public the peace negotiations greatly aggravates the situation.

E. H. Harriman's party was attacked and stoned, but no one was badly injured. Ten Christian churches and a mission school were burned. A number of persons are reported mortally wounded, and many were arrested.

Baron Komura said yesterday in New York that his coming interview with Mr. Root, which he expected would occur in New York city either today or tomorrow, would be purely a formal exchange of courtesies, and that their meeting had no other object. The Baron denied emphatically the rumor that the Emperor of Japan had not yet given his approval to the peace treaty or that the powers of the Japanese plenipotentiaries were so limited that the Emperor would fail to ratify the treaty. "The present disturbances in Tokio," he said, "cannot in the slightest degree influence the Emperor's determination to ratify the treaty when he receives an official copy of it." Baron Komura reiterated his opinion that the disturbances in Tokio were directed against the local branches of the government.

Anxiety prevails in Russian official circles over the revolt in the Caucasus. In the fighting at Baku 1,000 people were killed or wounded in an attack on the military camp. No quarter was shown by the troops. Managers of the oilworks have appealed to the Czar for more troops. The fires continue.

Turkish agitators are blamed for inciting the Tartars to bloodshed and pillage. The extent of the Tartar rising is a great surprise to the Caucasus authorities. The Tartars have devastated and pillaged many villages and massacred the residents. Christian workmen of the Caspian Company are surrounded by thousands of bloodthirsty Tartars. Bands of peasants have organized against the nobles.

Secret Treaty.

That there is a secret treaty between Czar Nicholas and the Mikado of Japan, in addition to the one the details of which have been made public, was admitted yesterday in New York by F. de Martens, who was the legal adviser to M. Witte and Baron Rosen, the Russian peace envoys, at the recent peace conference.

Mr. de Martens sailed yesterday on the French Line steamship La Lorraine. He arrived at the steamship early and pleasantly greeted a number of friends and newspaper men who were there to see him off.

"I had a pleasant time in the United States," he said, replying to questions, "and it was due entirely to your President. I feel overworked and tired, and anxious to get home. I have a copy of the treaty for the Czar. Next to your President, Witte is a past master as a diplomat. Your President, however, is possibly better."

"Now that the war is over, let us forget it," he said, when the subject was mentioned. "Witte was at his best during the conference and the outcome is a great victory for the Russians. Witte will issue an invitation to the President on behalf of the Czar to visit Russia at any time."

Professor Martens was asked if he would exhibit the copy of the treaty he had. "I cannot," he replied. "There is a secret treaty which no one but the Czar and the Mikado will know." Then he stopped suddenly, as if he had said too much, and declined to continue his conversation.

A Remedy Without a Peer.

"I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used for stomach trouble," says J. P. Klote, of Edina, Mo. For any disorder of the stomach, biliousness or constipation, these Tablets are without a peer. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Virginia News.

Mrs. Mary Randolph, widow of Major Beverly Randolph, died at her home, The Moorings, near Millwood, Clark county, yesterday, at an advanced age.

Judge Lewis, and Messrs. W. H. Eggborn and R. W. Blair, spoke at a republican meeting at King George Courthouse yesterday. At night Judge Lewis spoke in Fredericksburg.

Judge Henry E. Blair, of the Fifteenth Circuit, has forwarded his resignation to Governor Montague, to take effect September 15. Judge Blair leaves the bench because of continued ill healh.

The Circuit Court of Warren, Judge T. W. Harrison presiding, adjourned Wednesday night. The grand jury, which had been in session since Monday, indicted ten men for the illicit sale of liquor in the town of Front Royal.

The Spanish steamship Gaditano, of Bilbao, which sank in the Gulf of Mexico in May last, and two months later was floated by a wrecking company, was yesterday libeled in the United States Court at Norfolk for $51,000 salvage.

A force of civil engineers of the Southern Railway is engaged in surveying a route around Lynchburg for a line for that system by which the freight trains can be carried around the city in order to avoid the heavy grades in and out of Lynchburg.

Rev. Dr. Robert J. McBride, rector of R. E. Lee Memorial Episcopal Church, at Lexington, has resigned to accept a call to St. George Church, Fredericksburg, a charge which he served before going to Lexington. Dr. McBride has served the Lexington church for more than 22 years.

William Henry Mann, of Petersburg, in a published card addressed to the democratic voters of the Fourth congressional district, announces himself a candidate for the democratic congressional nomination from the Fourth district. Mr. Mann has been a member of the Legislature, clerk of the House of Delegates and keeper of the rolls of Virginia.

Chief of Police Hugh N. Dyer, of Richmond, announced yesterday that he would quit his position at the expiration of his present term, which will be in a few weeks. He does not think he has been treated right in regard to salary, claiming Roanoke pays less money to the head of the police force than any city in Virginia. He has held the position for 14 years.

Mr. Albert Dowell, aged fifty-four years, died Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Annie Ball, in Leesburg. Mr. Dowell had been suffering for some time with cancer of the throat, and had been treated in the hospitals in Washington. Mr. Dowell was one of the most popular men in that town, and his death will be sincerely mourned. The funeral arrangements have not been made.

The whole fleet of Virginia oyster gunboats is now assigned to the James river, and is said to be keeping the pirates down pretty well. The oyster thieves got so bold and their depredations on the public rocks were so frequent in that river that it was thought best to reinforce the steamer Rappahannock, on duty there, with the rest of the fleet, and the gunboats Accomac, James River and Pocomoke were thereupon assigned to assist her.

A shocking tragedy occurred at Amelia C. H. Wednesday night when Coley Griggs, one of the proprietors of the Amelia Hotel, shot himself through the head with a Winchester rifle. The man died about 1 o'clock yesterday morning as a result of the wound. Mr. Griggs was about 54 years of age and weighed 270 pounds. He had been despondent for some months, and had been under close watch, though he was attending to business up to the time of the tragedy.

Dr. H. L. Segar, a physician of Warsaw; Mr. A. W. Barron, a traveling salesman of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, and Mrs. R. B. Bartlett, of Newland, say they will enter suit jointly against the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Company for $10,000. They went to Naylor's to board the steamer Essex en route to Fredericksburg, when the steamer, it is asserted, passed the wharf without making her usual stop. Dr. Segar was accompanying Mrs. Bartlett to Richmond to be operated on for cancer. Her condition is critical and hence called for immediate treatment.

Wallace W. Hunter, for many years city treasurer and one of Norfolk's best known men, committed suicide in Elmwood Cemetery yesterday by shooting himself in the mouth. At 1:30 o'clock Mr. Hunter was found unconscious lying in a pool of blood, and died in St. Vincent de Paul Hospital last night. Ill health and general despondency are supposed to have been the causes of the deed. Mr. Hunter was known to have acted strangely foward some of his friends in the last few years, and had frequently complained of poor health. A note found beside Mr. Hunter contained the following directions: "Deliver the letters in my coat pocket. Take me to Harry Oliver's. Do not carry me home. Give me a cheap burial." The letters found in Mr. Hunter's pockets were addressed to Maj. C. W. Granby and to Charles G. Hunter, his son.

Letter to G. Wm. Ramsay.

Alexandria, Va.

Dear Sir: You sell a good many things by the gallon. Being a decent man, you give a full measure.

You know what we mean; you know that short weight and short measure are common among—well, we hope there are no short measures and weights in your town.

There are, though. Ribbons and laces and trimmings, sold by the "dozen," measure nine or ten yards. There is no complaint, because "they all do it." You have the same plague in your goods—nearly everything, canned or bottled, cheats in the quantity. Almost nobody gives full weight in a factory-package!

We are one of the almost nobodies. We sell paint, by the gallon, to paint your house; and our gallon is just the same size as yours that your measure vinegar with—231 cubic inches.

Good paint too—Devoe lead-and-zinc—takes fewer gallons than mixed paint and wears twice as long as lead-and-oil.

You own a house. That's why we are writing to you.

Yours truly,
F W DEVOE & CO
62 New York

P. S.—E. S. Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint.

Always Successful.

When indigestion becomes chronic it is dangerous. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will cure indigestion and all troubles resulting therefrom thus preventing Catarrh of the Stomach. Dr. Newbrough of League, W. Va., says: "To those suffering from indigestion or sour stomach I would say there is no better remedy than Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have prescribed it for a number of my patients with good success" Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Today's Telegraphic News

Conditions in Tokio.

Tokio, Sept. 8.—Martial law rules Tokio today. Notwithstanding this fact, however, and that the military forces have been increased, the temper of the people, which has manifested itself in continuous demonstrations since the announcement of the conclusion of the peace pact at Portsmouth, has not been subdued. The rioting was resumed last night, and, under cover of the darkness, the mob wrought a great deal of damage. An attempt was made to cut off the city's light supply, and, despite the troops, the attempt nearly succeeded. Failing in this effort, the mob turned its attention to tying up the street car service. The tramway system was completely paralyzed, the rioters stopping the cars in the streets and setting them on fire. Once the mob had resorted to the use of the torch, it was not satisfied with merely burning the tramcars. Several important buildings along the Ganza roadway were set on fire. At least one large police station and several substations, likewise, were fired.

The mob surged about the Imperial Hotel which just at present is crowded with distinguished foreigners, as the tourist season is at its height.

These foreigners are in a state of terror, as the demonstrations have clearly taken an anti-foreign turn, as well as being anti-government. Troops were stationed about the Imperial all night and today the government is still providing military protection for the foreigners.

It has been necessary for the government to assign soldiers to guard the various legations, as it is not known at what moment the anger of the mob may be directed toward them, and an attack would be almost sure to follow.

Americans are especially under the ban of the rioters. Among the lower classes the feeling prevails that Japan was forced to yield to Russia's peace proposals through the influence of President Roosevelt. That is why American visitors are subjected to insult and open attack.

The newspapers, with the exception of the government organ, the Kukumin, have taken the side of the mob, and their utterances have been far from pacifying. The most radical of these organs of the opposition, the Niroku, has been suppressed. The mobs have shown great ingenuity in opposing the police. By starting a demonstration in one part of the city, they would attract the police and imperial guards to that locality, leaving other sections unprotected, so that they could act with a free hand. Another example of the shrewdness of the mob is quotsd. Wire entanglements were spread in the street. The police were then taunted into making an attack, when the mob divided, allowing the policemen to rush among the wires where they were quickly tripped up. The mob then rushed upon the officers trampling and beating them. By the use of such tactics, the mobs have been able to greatly embarrass the work of the police, and to do about as they pleased, despite all opposition from the authorities. The number of fatalities which have occurred up to this time is given at eight. There were several hundred arrests.

Tokio, Sept. 8.—This afternoon the city is quieter as the people are calming down to a certain extent, after the demonstrations which have convulsed the city. For some time now there has been no rioting. Reports as to the troubles which have occurred in Tokio have spread to China and dispatches received today say there has been trouble in various parts of the Chinese empire.

Leaders of the political parties conferred with members of the government today in regard to the present situation following the riots which have occurred with such startling frequency in the last few days. The politicians urged that a special session of the diet should be called at once, believing that this will result in restoring order and tranquility in the city. The mobs which have been working so much havoc in the city have deteriorated until they are composed only of roughs and young students.

Alarm in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.—The disturbances which have occurred in the Caucasus, which have resulted in so much bloodshed and the destruction of property to an enormous figure, have greatly alarmed the government. It is feared that as the result of the rioting in that section of the country, the insurrection may spread throughout all Russia. Conditions throughout the empire are such that only a spark is needed to start a flame of revolution rolling over the country, which it may be impossible to extinguish. For this reason, the strictest orders have been given to the governers of all provinces to stamp out any insurrection which may arise at any cost. As a consequence of these instructions over 500 peasants to the Vitebsk district have been arrested for participating in the agrarian disturbances which have occurred there. Fifty-eight revolutionists who were holding a meeting in the Iljin forest near Libau, where they were preparing an inflammatory manifesto to be scattered about the country, have since been arrested for the same cause.

The latest reports today from Baku, which is one of the storm centers of the riots which have been in progress throughout the Caucasus, say that the fighting continues without abatement. The troops are utterly unable to cope with the situation, although they have been using artillery against the rioters, with terrible effect. It is estimated that the loss to the petroleum industry as the result of the fighting, and the burning of the oil wells and storage tanks, has amounted to $250,000, a day. The price of petroleum has already been advanced in this city. It is reported here that many of the oil well companies whose property has been destroyed during the rioting intend to sue the government for damages for the losses they have sustained.

London, Sept. 8.—Reports received here from various points in the Caucasus, state that the massacres of the people and the burning of property, notably the oil wells and storage tanks, continue.

At Baku the British subjects have boarded a yacht so as to be able to flee in case it becomes necessary for them to do so. The British Ambassador has sent a telegram direct to the viceroy of the provinces asking protection for the thousands of people from the artillery fire which the troops have pored into the rioters.

Baku, Russia, Sept. 8.—The town of Balakhany, where much of the hardest fighting between Tartars and Armenians has occurred, and where the rioters have forcibly opposed the military, has been completely destroyed. The troops who were relied upon to put down the disorders, fled in confusion before the mobs who fought them with boiling oil, which was hurled on the soldiers. With the abandonment of the town to the rioters, it was quickly destroyed.

Earthquake and Loss of Life.

Catancaro, Province of Calabria, Italy, Sept. 8.—A violent earthquake, which occurred at 2:55 o'clock this morning, caused considerable damage and serious loss of life throughout Calabria. In this city the shock lasted eighteen seconds. A number of walls collapsed. One of the hospitals was damaged by the falling of the walls and at least two of the patients were injured. A panic exists among the residents of the town, who fled from their homes terror sticken. The shock was felt throughout surrounding districts. The towns of Monteleon, Pizzo, and Martirano were almost destroyed. At Monteleon di Calabria seven persons were killed outright and 27 were injured in collapse of the prison there. An enormous amount of damage to property was also caused. It is feared that at least 100 persons have been buried under the debris of the wrecked buildings.

The Pizzo district is reported to have been almost completely destroyed. The villages of Pizcohico and Triparni have been wiped out, according to an early report, and all the houses of Stefaconi have been destroyed.

Messina, Sicily, Sept. 8.—The earthquake which caused so much damage in the province of Calabria, Italy, was also felt here. The shock was felt at 2:43 o'clock. The people were thrown into a great state of alarm, and many of them left their homes in their fright. The extent of the damage done is not known, but no casualties have been reported. The shock was also felt at Rggio, Calabria.

Fatalities at Fires.

Lancaster, Pa., Sept. 8.—A shanty occupied by a large number of Italians, employed on the new Pennsylvania Railroad line near Highville, this county, was destroyed by fire last night. Two of the engineers were killed and five others severely burned. A sixth had a leg broken, in leaping from a window. Carelessness in smoking started the blaze, and exit by the doors was completely cut off.

New York, Sept. 8.—Two children, Mary Colletto, ten years old, and her eight year old brother William, both dying of diphtheria, were suffocated today in a fire that partly destroyed the five story tenement at No. 303 east Seventy-first street. Thair father, Antonio Colletto, sacrificed his life in an effort to save them. The firemen found them, their arms entwined about one another, at the foot of a ladder leading from the fifth floor landing to the roof.

United States Protests.

Berlin, Sept. 8.—The Frankfurter Zeitung says that Vartanian, the naturalized American citizen who has been condemned to death at Constantinople for the murder of an Armenian merchan, named Uojian, will be hanged tomorrow The American embassy has entered a protest against the execution of the man, claiming that, as Vartanian is an American citizen, although an Armenian by birth, he must be tried by a special American tribunal. The Porte intends to ignore the protest of Minister Leismann, as the principle of the rights of American citizens conferred upon native Armenians by naturalization has never been recognized except under pressure, and will proceed to execute Vartanian. It is expected that this will lead to serious differences between the United States government and Turkey.

Funeral of Mr. Stevens.

New York, Sept. 8.—The funeral of Francis B. Stevens, jr., who shot himself Tuesday night, was held at noon, today, at Westbury, L. I., after which the body was taken to Fresh Pond to be cremated. Coroner Remsen has disposed of any further discussion as to the manner of the young man's death, by saying that the evidence of suicide was so clear that it would be unnecessary to hold an inquest. When Mrs. Stevens has recovered sufficiently from the shock caused by her husband's death, she may be asked to explain the circumstances leading to the tragedy. This will be, however, a formality. Mr. Stevens died facing two mirrors, where, he once told his wife, apparently in jest, that he might easily kill himself.

Broke Record.

Boston, Sept. 8 —The world's record for throwing the 56-pound weight for height, was broken by James Prendergast and Dennis J. Mahoney, at the first field day of the Knights of St. Brendan, at the Locust street, grounds last night. Mahoney at the first attempt touched the 15-foot 8 inches mark, using only one hand. His best throw made later, was 15-feet 8¾ inches. Prendergast who was in perfect condition, and used both hands, touched the 15-foot 11¾ inch mark. The world's record for height, made by J. S. Mitchell, of the New York A. A., was 15 feet 6¼ inches.

Struck by Train.

Asbury Park, N. J., Sept. 8.—The horribly dismembered body of Richard F. Dalton, formerly of New York, was found lying in pieces along the railroad track this morning. Fred Mooney first descovered one arm and the trunk with all the organs missing. The head was found 75 feet farther away and one hand. For a distance of two hundred feet pieces of the legs and flesh were collected. Dalton was last seen early in the evening at Belmar with a party of ladies. It is believed he was struck near the crossing at West Grove by one of the midnight trains.

The Taggart Divorce Case.

Wooster, O., Sept. 8.—The Taggart divorce trial is near its end. Each side has its story in, and the scales, heaped full, hang balanced for the decision. "No one can foretell what the findings in this case will be" is the statement of a prominent attorney here, who has followed the progress of the case from its beginning, longer than five weeks ago. "A probable decision is that Judge Eason will refuse to grant a decree to either Captain or Mrs. Taggart, and will allow both a share in their two boys." It is not thought probable that the arguments will end before Monday.

Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills, E. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Billiousness." 25c at E. S. Leadbeater, & Sons, druggists.

VIRGINIA DEMOCRATS.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Sept. 8.—The democratic State committee today finished the official count. Martins and Swansons majorities are increased by the returns from Alexandria and Norfolk counties. Mann is still ahead of Willard. The committee decided in favor of the fusion candidates in Norfolk county.

Murder and Suicide.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 8.—Partly concealed by a thick hedge bordering the common near Garfield Park, the body of a woman with her throat cut from ear to ear was discovered by a boy this morning. The woman lay with her head upon a seat cushion removed from a buggy standing near by, and had evidently been dead several hours. When what was supposed to be a pile of lap robes near by was moved, a man, apparently about 40 years old, unconscious, and with his throat slashed, was discovered A razor was clasped in his hand. The man was identified as Alonzo E. Lewis, livery man, and the woman as his former wife, the couple having recently been separated. Lewis was removed to the city hospital, where it was stated he could not recover. The couple went driving last night it was reported that Mrs. Lewis was hopeful of effecting a reconciliation with her husband. The murder had evidently been planned carefully. Lewis was formerly proprietor of a large livery stable at Hamilton, Ohio.

The Prize Fighters.

San Francisco, Sept. 8.—Nolan, manager of Nelson, has made a statement in which he declares that the $10,000 side bet between Nelson and Britt did not go, and also said that it had been agreed by the fighters to split the purse by giving the winner 60 per cent and the loser 40 per cent. He asserted this was the only division on which Britt would enter the ring. Britt was seen late yesterday and admitted that it had been agreed to divide the purse, but he said the side bet was still effective. Jeffries arrived in this city late last night, and declined to withdraw. He said he would referee unless displaced by the club. Cofforth and Nolan conferred but no agreement was reached in regard to a referee.

Yellow Fever.

New Orleans, Sept. 8.—There were 35 new cases of yellow fever and six deaths from the disease reported in this city yesterday. Dr. Tichenor reports 37 positive cases from Tallulah, and Dr. Horton reports eight new cases at Patterson.

Up to noon today 23 new cases of yellow fever and three deaths from the disease were reported.

Mysteriously Injured.

New York, Sept. 8.—Jacob S. Thompson a member of the staff of the New York Times, was removed from the St. James apartments, to the Flow of Hospital, this morning. Mr. Thompson is suffering from a compound fracture of the skull, also several acalp wounds and lacerations about the head. He is about 50 years of age. The police are investigating the case.

Congratulations to President.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 8.—The Emperor of China has cabled his congratulations to the President upon his successful efforts to secure peace between Russia and Japan. Accompanying the Emperor's cablegram, is an additional paragraph, a sort of postscript, from the Empress-Dowager, expressing that strenuous lady's felicitations.

Examination Adjourned.

New York, Sept. 8.—The examination of Moses Hicas, who was indicted by the grand jury in Washington, on a charge of conspiracy in connection with the cotton leak scandal, which was set down for hearing before United States Commissioner Hitchcock, today was adjourned by agreement between counsel on both sides, until September 22.

Airship Exhibition.

Brockton, Mass., Sept. 5.—Roy Knobenshue, of Toledo, Ohio, has been engaged at a cost of $6,000 to give exhibition flights with his airship at the Brockton fair the first week in October. This is the largest outlay ever made for a single attraction by any fair in New England.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Sept. 8.—The chief feature was the absence of supply of stocks at any where near yesterday's closing. It cannot be said that there has been any extensive covering of shorts as yet. An idea prevails in the room that the usual fall tension in the money market has been exaggerated, and that no extreme high rates will be reached at present.

Capt. Lee Bolts.

Capt. Dan M. Lee, of Stafford county, a brother of the late Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, has announced himself as an independent candidate for the House of Delegates from Stafford and King George counties in opposition to Mr. R. C. L. Moncure, who is the democratic nominee. Captain Lee is at present the chairman of the county democratic committee of Stafford and has held that position for years. This will cause much surprise to Capt. Lee's friends in this State.

Will Not Cartoon Rockefeller.

The American Press Humorists, now in annual convention at Cleveland, Ohio, have resolved formally not to harpoon, gridiron, or joke John D. Rockefeller in the future in their writings for the several papers in the United States which they represent. This action is the result of the jokers' visit to the Rockefeller estate yesterday, when they were so hospitably entertained by the Standard Oil magnate.

Corporal James Tanner, of New York, was elected Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R., today by the delegates of that organization holding their annual convention in Denver, Col. The other candidates for the office were Major Geo. Burton, of Missouri, and General Charles Brown, of Ohio.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pledged to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constipational disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrah Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, SEP. 8, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:35 a. m. and sets at 6:20 p. m. High water at 3:43 a. m. and 4:18 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and continued cool tonight and Saturday; light variable winds, mostly northerly.

School Board.

At the monthly meeting, of the City School Board, held last night there were present Messrs. Thompson, Stabler, Yates, Thomson, Ramsay, Jones, Carne, Carter, Smoot and the Superintendent. In the absence of the chairman, Mr. Smoot presided.

Mr. Stabler, from the committee on schoolhouses, and furniture reported that the painting at Washington school building had been completed; that the roof of the old Washington building had been repaired; that the new furniture had been placed in the principal's room in Peabody building; that a window had been cut in that room; that the old furniture of that room had been placed in the principal's room in Seaton building, fairly well equipping that room; that some minor repairs were needed at Hallowell building and that the several buildings were now in fairly good shape. He also stated that the vines on Washington building had done some damage and recommended that they be removed.

A number of bills for repairs were ordered to be paid.

The Superintendent read a letter from C. G. Maphis, examiner and instructor for this, the Fifth district, concerning educational meetings, &c., but no action was taken.

The clerk was instructed to use due diligence in issuing permits to pupils to attend the schools so as not to issue them to children whose parents live without the city limits.

Mr. Carne offered the following, which, after some discussion, was referred to the finance committe, viz:

Resolved, That the clerk be directed to issue to each of the seven teachers entitled, under regulation XV, to five dollars per month increase of salary, the written obligation of this board for the said sum each month, as said increase falls due.

Mr. Yates called up his motion, offered at the last meeting, to change section 7 of the by-laws so as to give the substitute teachers the full pay of the teachers whose places they filled.

After some debate, the matter was referred to the finance committee.

The clerk submitted the bids of four dealers for furnishing the schools with fuel, stating that Mr. R. E. Grover was the lowest bidder for both hard and soft

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[illegible]es Wedding.

[illegible] scene of a pretty wedding Wednesday night when Miss Eleanor Violet Gaines, formerly of Cassnova, Va., became the bride of Mr. Thomas Oliver Monk, of Cohoes, N. Y., now a resident of Washington, D. C. Rev. W J. Morton, rector of the church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a few immediate relatives and friends. The bride wore a handsome grey cloth traveling suit and picture hat, and was accompanied to the altar by Mr. P. B. Peyton, an intimate friend, who gave her in marriage. The groom was accompanied by his brother, Mr. John Monk, a well-known newspaper man of Washington. The bride is a daughter of the late Edmond Pendleton Gaines, a prominent citizen of Fauquier county, who was distinguished as a daring member of Col. J. S. Mosby's command. She has recently returned from an extended visit to her sister, the wife of Lieut. Harry G. Lekie, stationed at Fort Brown, Texas. She is a beautiful blond with many accomplishments. She was married from the residence of her cousin, Mrs. James T. Luckett, on south Patrick street, whose guest she has been for several weeks. Mr. Monk is a government employee, besides a prominent newspaper man. After the ceremony the bridal party left for a trip to the northern resorts. They will reside in Washington at the "Chelsea."

Circuit Court for the County.

[Judge C. E. Nicol presiding.]

The Circuit Court for Alexandria county is still in special session for the purpose of hearing damage suits against the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company.

Yesterday the cases of Nettie V. Bontz, Mary Russell and Florence E. Davis, the latter colored, Norton and Boothe, attorneys, were compromised, the amounts agreed upon being $125, $125 and $1,500 respectively.

The jury in the case of Miss Haws returned a verdict for $3,500 for the plaintiff. Mr. J. M. Johnson represented the plaintiff in this case.

Since the above was written, it has been learned that the cases of C. H. Madella (colored) and Frank Lucas, represented by Messrs. Machen & Moncure, have been compromised for $125 and $175 respectively; the case of Miss May Hamersley, represented by Mr. J. M. Johnson, compromised for $1,500, and the case of Miss Minnie Thaler, represented by Messrs. Norton & Boothe, compromised for $1,250.

This evening the case of Miss Margaret Germond was compromised for $125, and the jury in the case of Mrs. Grant (nee Strobel) gave the plaintiff $125. Other cases are in progress of compromise.

Torpedoes on Track.

It is suggested that the torpedoes which have been recently placed on the tracks at the western entrance of the Wilkes street tunnel were put there by railroad men who desired to play practical jokes on the train crew. If this is a fact the practice should cease at once, as these explosives contain dynamite and are dangerous, particles of the torpedo when exploded flying in all directions. Besides, while such pranks may afford sport for some they annoy others and bring to mind the moral of the fable of the jackass dancing among ducks.

Virginia Beach as Town.

A meeting for the purpose of incorporating Virginia Beach into a town is scheduled to be held this evening on the pavilion at the Beach. It is proposed to ask the legislature for incorporation papers which will afford the owners of property police protection and fire protection give them sewerage and afford them the advantages which can only be obtained through incorporation.

Personal.

Mrs. Maria Peyton and daughter, of Alexandria, are at Mr. T. E. Saunders'.—[Warrenton Virginian.

Mrs J. J. Goodwin has returned from Gordonsville.

Miss Virginia Whiting has returned from Barnesville, Md.

Master Roger Moore, who has been visiting his uncle, Mr. Hollis R. Cooke, of Wilmington, Del., has returned to his home.

Rev. J. P. Stump, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and Messrs. Frank J. Pollard and Henry K. Field, lay delegates from that church, attended the district conference of the Washington district, now in session at Hamilton.

Miss Florence Spencer, who has been visiting Alexandria for the past ten days, left for her home in Avondale, Ala., yesterday, much to the regret of her many friends here and in Washington.

Miss Rhoda B. Cooke has returned to her home in this city after a pleasant visit to Miss Le Cuyer, in Baltimore.

Mrs. Cornelius Haggarty, jr., of Philadelphia, Pa, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Marshall.

Flagman P. W. Simpson, who was knocked down by a locomotive at the intersection of King and Henry street a few days ago, is recovering rapidly from the effect of the shock and has left the hospital, where he was carried the evening of the accident.

Miss Janet Rowen has returned to her home in this city after a a most delightful visit to Edinburg, Va.

Mr. H. D. Luckett, will leave for North Carolina, tonight.

Mrs. W. P. Henshaw has returned from a visit to Caroline and King and Queen counties.

Mrs. Kries and Mrs. Heckrotte, of Baltimore, are visiting Miss Rosa L. Sherwood.

Mrs. J. Monroe Love and children are visiting at Judge Love's. Mrs. Love's husband, Lieut. Love, who has been stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., will sail Tuesday for the Philippines. His brother, Lieut. Moss L. Love, and sister, Mrs. Freeman, wife of Lieut. Freeman, are also in the Philippines.—[Fairfax Herald.

"Topsy's No More."

"Topsy," the well-known Japanese spaniel, which belonged to Mr. J. Matthews, died Wednesday night. The defunct long enjoyed the reputation of being a terror to rats of the Second ward. Topsy's legs were short and her body slim, suggestive of a weasel, and she possessed the art of dislodging rodents wherever they took refuge. She made daily rounds in search of rats, visiting the Market House, stables, cellars and the wharves, and always performed the rites of sepulture for the rodents she killed, carrying them to some secluded spot where she scratched a hole and buried them.

Death Accidental.

At an inquest held by Coroner Nevitt at the morgue, in Washington, yesterday, over the remains of John T. Parker, the colored carpenter of this city, who was struck on the head and killed by a bucket while working on the bridge at New York avenue and First streets northeast Wednesday afternoon, the jury found death was due to an accident, and held no one responsible. The funeral services were held in the Alfred Street Baptist Church, colored, in this city, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Florence Williams, colored, arrested by Officer Allen charged with lunacy, was committed to jail for a further examination.

John Russell, colored, arrested by Officers Maybugh and Patterson charged with disorderly conduct on an electric train, had his case continued.

Fire.

Shortly after eleven o'clock last night fire was discovered in Sprouse & Son's grocery store, corner of Queen and Pitt streets, and an alarm was sounded. The department subsequently appeared and succeeded in extinguishing the flames, not, however, until the interior of the store had been somewhat damaged and the stock considerably injured. The fire originated among some matches into which rats, it is supposed, had been moving.

Deaths.

Joseph, the infant son of Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Emily Jenkins, died at the home of his parents, 913 Franklin street, last night.

Old "Aunt" Polly Carter, who had been employed in the family of Mr. E. H. O'Brien for a long time, died this morning at the Alexandria Hospital, where she had been ill for some time. She was well known in this city and justly respected by all.

Fast Running.

A northbound Washington-Southern Railway train entered Fayette street at 10:55 a. m. today at an estimated speed of 30 miles an hour and was said to be running at that gait when it passed King street. The flyer attracted considerable attention as it passed on to the depot. Since the Gazette called attention to the fast running of southbound passenger trains on Henry street more caution has been observed by some engineers.

The New Depot

As has heretofore been stated, the new depot at the foot of Shooter's Hill will be used by the Washington-Southern Railway Company one week from today. The work of laying a spur track from the Southern Railway into the new depot is now in progress, and it is expected that this company as well as the Chesapeake and Ohio will also use the new depot on the 15th.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Aids Nature.

Medicines that aid nature are always most effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It allays the cough, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions, and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. It is famous for its cures over a large part of the civilized world. Thousands have testified to its superior excellence. It counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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$4.00 Tapestry Portieres, handsome scroll and floral pattern. Comes in two shades of green, red and green, and two shades of red. A good value at $4. Pair..... $3.19

$8.00 All-wool California Blanket; weighs 5½ pounds; finished in the finest possible manner; made of excellent long staple wool; we bought 500 pairs to be able to give you this unequaled value..... $5.90

Three hundred Double-breasted Fancy Cassimere and Navy Blue Cheviot Suits, school suits for boys, bought to a great advantage. These Suits are up to date in workmanship and quality of material, as well as style. Sells at $3 regularly. Our price, choice..... $1.98

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The schooner Nettie, belonging to Mr. Chas. Spiece, of this city, is loading ties at Quantico for Philadelphia.

The work of double tracking the Southern Railway between Danville and Pelham, N. C., is progressing rapidly.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Samuel G. Skinner and Eppa O. Preston, both of Round Hill.

Mrs. Mary Hockman, wife of Michael Hockman, died suddenly yesterday morning at her home, Hagerstown, Md., aged 63 years. Excessive grief over the death of her grandson Samuel M. Hockman, jr., who died this week at Elgin, Ill., caused the rupture of a blood vessel on the brain. Paralysis followed. Mrs. Hockman was the mother of Harvey and Henry Hockman, of this city.

Free Crab Feast tonight at Jacob Brill's saloon, foot of King street.

Dining room open every Sunday during oyster season. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

Negroes Block School.

Negro pupils and white pupils at Bonner Springs, Kan., Wednesday, were forced to enter the school building together for enrollment for the school term which will begin in a few days. The Board of Education had ordered the whites and blacks placed in separate rooms, and trouble resulted. Negro parents of pupils tried to force the Board of Education to allow the negro children to sit in the same room with the whites. J. D. Waters, one of the board members, ordered the negro men and women off the school grounds. The men left the building, but the women, twenty in number, refused to budge.

Finally the negro women took charge of the negro pupils and seated them by the side of the white students. The negro women became so noisy and boisterous that the Board of Education ordered the enrollment postponed until next Monday morning.

Weddings.

Miss Agnes Louise Shuey, daughter of Mrs. Martha Shuey, of the University of Virginia, and James Keith Symmers, a native of Columbia, S. C., but now a prominent lawyer of New York city, were married last night in Christ Episcopal Church, Charlottesville, the rector, Rev. Harry B. Lee, officiating.

Robert C. Trevillian, of Charlottesville, and Miss Mamie A. Perry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry, of that city, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, yesterday, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Harry B. Lee, rector of Christ Church.

Child Shot Mother and Babe.

Mrs. Ewel Simms, whose home is five miles from Gate City, Va., and her infant are in a critical condition as the result of the accidental discharge of a shotgun. Mr. Simms returned from hunting and laid his shotgun on the bed. The gun was by some means discharged by a little son 5 years of age. The mother, with the infant in her arms, was sitting on the opposite side of a thin partition. Many of the shot struck her in the face and head, one penetrating her eye, and four shot lodged in the child's face. It is believed that both will recover.

Free School Tickets.

The old reliable Spencerian Business College, corner 9th and D streets northwest, Washington, D. C., is controlled by Mr. and Mrs. R. P. W. Stiehl. They will pay your car fare if you take either the business course, shorthand and typewriting course, or the Ideal combination course by the monthly installment plan. See pages 9, 10 and 11 of special announcement. Call, write or telephone for information.

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When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. Kings's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons drug store, price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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DIED.

Thursday, September 7, 1905, POLLY CARTER, aged 65 years. Funeral from 817 King street tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

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New outing flannels.
New Canton flannels.
New white flannels.
New red flannels.
New blue flannels.
New ladies' dress skirts.
New ladies' wrappers.
New fancy eiderdown.
New lace curtains.
New fall blankets.
New fall comforts.
New curtain poles.
New extension rods.
New China matting
New Japanese matting.
New floor oil cloths.
New inlaid linoleums.
New fall weight underwear.
One lot 150 Fancy Manhattan Shirts reduced to 98c.

New Fall Standard Patterns Now Ready, 10 and 15c.

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At Clearance Prices.

We are offering very exceptional values in Boys' Clothing Department at this time, and call attention to the following items, which are marked at half and less than half prices.

Boys' All-wool Double-breasted Suits; sizes 7 to 16—well-made, substantial suits; worth up to $7.50..... $3.75

Boys' Blue Serge Sailor Suits, all wool, neatly trimmed; and braided sizes 5 to 11; worth $6.00..... $4.25

Boys' Laundered Blouses, "K. & E." brand; sizes 7 to 15; worth $1 and $1.25 75c

Boys' Fine Imported Madras Blouses, with or without collar; sizes 6 to 10; worth $1 50..... $1.00

Third floor, Tenth st.

Misses New Tailor-Made Suits.

We have just received a few of the advance styles in new Fall Suits for misses and young ladies.

We mention two new suits that are splendid values at the prices:

Mannish Mixtures, in rich, gray effects; jackets made in a "boxy" effect, with full fronts, half-tight backs, four pockets with velvet flaps, and collars and cuffs trimmed with velvet—a very stylish suit.

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Blue Cheviot Suits, with very long "tourist" coats—double breasted, with four patch pockets, high turn-over collars, and lined with satin—a very rich suit.

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Final Reductions on GIRLS' WHITE DRESSES

We have placed on a large center table a splendid collection of Girls' Fine White Lawn Dresses, which we offer at a specially low price for clearance. There are several styles, in both low and high neck and long and short sleeves; also guimpe styles, and they are trimmed with laces, embroideries, and tucking; sizes to 12 years.

$1.50 for Choice,
Values, $3.25 and $3.75.

We have also placed on a center counter a nice collection of Girls' White Dresses, being the remaining few of several lines of this season's best and most popular styles. There are sheer lawns and dainty dotted swisses, and they are effectively trimmed with fine laces and embroideries. Quite a number of styles are represented, including guimpe and high-neck effects; sizes 6 to 14. We offer the entire collection at the special price.

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Granite Iron Wash Basins, worth 25c, cut to..... 10c

Mason's Half-gallon Amber Jars, best for canning tomatoes, cut to, each..... 5c

Tin Wash Boilers, worth 75c, cut to..... 49c

Boyer's Snow White Shoe Dressing, bottle..... 10c

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The State Committee.

Aubrey E. Strode was last night declared the nominee for the State Senate from Amherst and Nelson counties by the democratic State committee in session in Richmond. The contest brought by State Senator Massie was withdrawn after argument before the committee. A new election was ordered to settle the Amherst county chairmanship controversy. The committee adjourned before reaching a decision upon the Norfolk county contest.

A subcommittee appointed to arrange the returns found all in except Alexandria county. Chairman Ellyson said he had been unable to hear anything from this county and telegraphed to the Alexandria Gazette for the returns as published in that paper the day after the election. The returns were at once forwarded. The appeal from the Petersburg democratic committee's decision was first considered. E. D. Butler, a candidate for the city committee, complained that he had been defeated by the use of pasters bearing printed names put on over the regular ticket. His appeal was dismissed.

With Alexandria county missing and Norfolk county in controversy, the official figures from the recent primary are as follows:

Martin, 45,112; Montague, 35,399; Swanson, 41,162; Mann, 20,073; Willard, 19,545; Ellyson, 59,071; Cabell, 17,777; Anderson, 47,734; Williams, 29,678; Eggleston, 55,953; Hulvey, 21,035.

At times the session was quite stormy, but final action on all the questions determined seemed to give pretty general satisfaction. The work was facilitated by the appointment of a sub-committee to compile the returns, and while this committee was laboring in another room the main body was wrestling over contests.

Democratic Prospects.

Senator Thomas S. Martin and Senator John W. Daniel, who are in Richmond in connection with the meeting of the State democratic executive committee to map out a plan of campaign, agree that the democratic chances of complete success are excellent. Senator Martin said today:

"I see no reason to apprehend any danger. The State is safely democratic and will give a large majority for the ticket. I shall be at the service of the chairman of the democratic party for the campaign."

Congressman Flood expressed the opinion that the activity of the republicans would arouse the democrats and cause them to roll up a larger vote than was polled by them four years ago.

Congressman Swanson, democratic nominee for Governor, who arrived today, professed confidence in a decisive victory in November, notwithstanding the prediction of Republican Congressman Campbell Slemp that the democrats will be badly beaten as the result of their methods at the polls during the recent primaries. Mr. Swanson has recovered from the effects of his hard work prior to the primary and is ready to take the stump again. Others here who will be active in the canvass are former Congressman Harry L. Maynard and Congressman John F. Rixey.

The Market.

Georgetown, Sept. 8.—Wheat 60a80.

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MEETINGS.

A CALLED MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the VIRGINIA SAFE DEPOSIT & TRUST CORPORATION will be held at the offices of said corporation, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at 11 o'clock a. m. on WEDNESDAY, September 20, 1905, for the purpose of considering the consolidation or merger of the Fidelity Savings & Trust Company, of Charlottesville, Virginia, with the Virginia Safe Deposit & Trust Corporation, of Alexandria, Virginia.
C. J. RIXEY, President.
GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Secretary.
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NOTICE—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of the UNION BUILDING COMPANY for the election of a board of directors and for such other business as may be proper will be held at the office of the company, 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, September 18, 1905, at 12:30 o'clock p. m.
MYRON M. PARKER, President,
W. SCOTT TOWERS, Secretary.
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ARLINGTON BREWING COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Arlington Brewing Company will be held at the office of the company, Rosslyn, Virginia, on TUESDAY, September 12, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before said meeting.
ABE KING, Secretary.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE APPLIANCE COMPANY will be held on WEDNESDAY, September 27, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m., at 218 King street.
T. CONRAD DODGE, Secretary.
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Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m.
Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 4 , 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 0 , 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.
Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m.
Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40, 11 00, 1 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 0 , 2 40, 3 00, 3 2 , 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 2 , 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 an 11 50 p. m.

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Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 2, 1 3 , 2 32, 3 32, 4 22, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m.
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Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 00, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.
Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 2 , 2 40, 3 0 , 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

FOR ROSSLYN

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m.. 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.
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Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:
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11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.
11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.
4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch
5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.
7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.
10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.
10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.
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For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 56 (local), and 11 05 a. m., 3:59, 5 07 (local), and 6 40 p. m., week days
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Alexandria Gazette.
FRIDAY EVENING, SEP. 8, 1905.

Bishop Clark and the Polite Stranger.

There was no limit to the humorous situation for which the Right Rev. Thomas L. Clark, bishop of Rhode Island, was responsible. Some years ago while attending a lecture in Boston he observed a man sitting three seats in front whom he thought he knew. He requested the person sitting next to him to "punch" the other individual with his umbrella.

The polite stranger did so and, the disturbed person turning his head a little, Bishop Clark discovered his mistake. It was not the person he supposed. Fixing his attention steadfastly on the lecturer and affecting unconsciousness of the whole affair he left the man with the umbrella to settle with the other for the disturbance, and, this man being wholly without an excuse, there was, of course, a ludicrous and embarrassing scene, during all of which Bishop Clark was profoundly interested in the lecture.

At last the man with the umbrella asked, rather indignantly, "Didn't you tell me to punch that person with my umbrella?"

"Yes."

"And what did you want?"

"I wanted to see whether you would punch him or not."—Boston Herald.

A Lawyer's Nerve.

A self satisfied young lawyer went over to Michigan from Ohio to represent a client of that state who was mixed up in some litigation over which the Wayne county court had original jurisdiction. In the course of argument the Buckeye lawyer became tangled, and the judge kindly advised him to back up and repeat with greater deliberation. Then the court let the youth down by saying, "If you do that I will be better able to follow the thread of your contention." "Glad to accommodate you, judge," said the young man as he recovered his confidence. "I am dealing with a very complieated point of law, and I suspected that it might be too intricate for your honor to follow at the rate I was going." The dignity of the court was knocked out, and he joined heartily in the general laugh.—Kansas City Star.

Passport to the North Pole.

A passport to the north pole was issued some years ago by the governor of the province of Tobolsk, which stretches along the Russian shores of the Arctic ocean. The official was approached by two men who had been engaged to proceed to the north with an English expedition, then fitting out. Their petition was for a passport to the pole itself, but the governor pointed out that the pole was as likely to be in their home province as in any other, that it was extremely unlikely they would reach it and that, if they did, there were no police there to examine their credentials. At last, however, to satisfy them he ordered the issue of a document allowing them to pass without let or hindrance to the north pole.

Chair of the Giant Idris.

One of the mountain peaks of north Wales is known as the Chair of Idris, or Cader Idris, as the Welsh people call it, because its top is hollowed out like an immense couch. According to local tradition, whoever spends a night in the Chair of Idris will on the following morning be dead, raving mad or endowed with the loftiest poetical inspiration. No one seems to know exactly who Idris was or when he lived, but he must have been a giant if his body was in proportion with his celebrated "chair." Mrs. Hemans has a fine poem with the Chair of Idris as the theme, and Tennyson also mentions it in "Ænid."

Circassian Beauty.

Painting the eyes and eyelids is considered a great aid to the fascination of the female orbs. A Circassian to be really lovely must, in addition to being very corpulent, have golden hair and jet black lashes. Kohl is used by the Persian and Armenian women to lengthen their eyes. The bazaar women and nautch girls of most eastern countries dye their finger nails with henna, and where they wish to be thought great ladies they allow their finger nails to grow to an immense length and keep them in finely wrought gold sheaths.

A Curious Tale.

This curious tale of the Venerable Bede is told in the mediaeval "Golden Legend:" One day, when he was old and blind, the desire to preach came upon him. An attendant led him to a spot where he faced a heap of stones, and Bede, believing that a human audience was before him, delivered an eloquent sermon. At the end, it is gravely recorded, the stones cried "Amen!" no doubt to save Bede's feelings.

Headstrong.

Mrs. Homer—Don't you think your husband is rather headstrong for an invalid? Mrs. Neighbor—Yes, and the doctor is to blame for it too. Mrs. Homer—Indeed! And why, pray? Mrs. Neighbor—He won't allow him to take any nourishment but goats' milk.

An Evident Alternative.

"She married him in spite of great opposition, didn't she?"

"Yes. If her marriage doesn't turn out well she'll only have herself to blame."

"Good gracious! Why? What's to prevent her blaming him?"

Love's Labor's Lost.

Poeticus—Have you read Shakespeare's "Love's Labour's Lost?" Cynicus—No, but I've taken a girl to the theater and had her talk to the man next her all through the show.

The worst men often give the best advice. Our thoughts are better sometimes than our deeds.—Bailey.

The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter he says, "I was nearly dead. of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold, and guaranteed to cure Dyspepsia, Billiousness and Kidney Disease, by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists, at 50c a bottle.

Advertising and Success.

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No Rain Could Keep Him Away.

Kathlene—It's little ye love me, or ye wud niver stay away from me as ye did last evenin' jist because av a wee bit o' rain. Dudee Mike—Sure it wor a pourin' down floods, mavourneen, but it wor not th' rain that kep' me away from th' loight av y'r hivenly eyes. Kathlene—An' wot wor it? Dudee Mike—It wor th' lack av an umbrella.—New York Weekly.

Poets and Irresponsibility.

Poets are wayward creatures, largely irresponsible for their actions, or, at all events, provided with such a curiously sensitive and inflammable organization that we feel it would be unjust to judge them by ordinary standards.—London Telegraph.

Inherited.

"Your daughter's music is improving," said the professor, "but when she runs the scales I have to watch her pretty closely."

"Just like her father," said Mrs. Nuritch; "he made his money in the grocery line."

Picking Pockets.

"Picking pockets," said the reformer to the thief, "must be a difficult and precarious business."

"It is," agreed the pickpocket. "It is, until you get your hand in."

Settled.

Meeks—The man who tries to change a woman's views is a fool. Weeks—How do you know? Meeks—My wife told me so.

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Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 30 a. m., and 3 30, 6 10 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.
Manassas Division mails close at 7 20 a. m. and 4 00 p. m. Open at 12 00 m.
Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m. and 4 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 30 p. m.
Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 2 30 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 4 30 p. m.
Washington mails close at 7 30, 9 30 and 11 10 a. m., and 2 30, 6 10, 8 23 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.
Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.
Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.
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PROPOSALS.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the granting by the City Council of Alexandria, to the person or corporation hereafter to be ascertained in the manner prescribed by law, of the exclusive right to furnish electricity for light, heat, power and any other general purpose to the City of Alexandria and inhabitants thereof, and to erect, construct and maintain the necessary poles and fixtures and to run wires on, over, under and along the streets, public alleys, bridges, parks and other public ways and places in the City of Alexandria, for the purpose of supplying electricity.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, Virginia:

Section 1. That there shall be granted in the manner prescribed in an act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved May 20, 1903 the rights and privileges on, over, under and along the streets, public alleys, bridges, parks, and other public ways and places in the City of Alexandria, which are embodied in the following draft of an ordinance:

An Ordinance to grant exclusive right to ——, its successors and assigns, to furnish electricity for light, heat, power and any other general purposes to the City of Alexandria and inhabitants thereof, and to erect, construct, and maintain the necessary poles and fixtures, and to run wires on, over, under and along the streets, public alleys, bridges, parks, and other public ways and places in the City of Alexandria, for the purpose of supplying electricity.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, Virginia:

1. That —— ——, its successors and assigns, be and they are hereby granted the exclusive right to furnish electricity for light, heat, power and any other general purposes to the City or Alexandria, and the inhabitants thereof, for a period of thirty years, and for the purpose of furnishing and supplying electricity for light, heat, power, and other general purposes they are hereby granted the use of the streets, highways and other public ways and places of said City, and are authorized to erect, construct, and maintain the necessary poles, fixtures, and other essential apparatus, to construct and maintain conduits, and to run and maintain wires on, over, under and along the streets, public alleys, bridges, parks and other public ways and places in the City of Alexandria, in order to furnish and supply electricity for light, heat, power and other general purposes to the City or to the inhabitants thereof, upon the conditions, provisions and limitations hereinafter set forth, as well as under these set forth in such ordinances of the City of Alexandria, as may be applicable thereto, and as are not in conflict with this ordinance and the amendments heretofore made or which may be hereafter made to such ordinances.

2. Each route shall be first determined upon by the City Engineer before any poles are erected, and the Committee on Streets may require the said ——, its successors or assigns, to use and occupy the poles already erected by any person or corporation before the running of wires along such route, provided that the City Engineer first deliver to the said ——, its successors or assigns, permission in writing from the owners of such poles already erected, to run and maintain other wires thereon, at reasonable rates to be fixed by agreement or arbitration. All wires run and all work done in pursuance of this ordinance shall be done in a good workman like manner and of material suitable for the purpose, at the time the work is executed, and shall be approved as such by the City Engineer.

3. The rights and privileges hereby granted shall continue for thirty years unless sooner forfeited as herein provided for, and upon the termination or forfeiture of this grant the entire plant, as well as the property of said ——, its successors or assigns, located in the streets, public alleys, or other public places in the city, shall become the property of the City Council of Alexandria, upon the payment to the said ——, its successors or assigns, by the City Council of Alexandria, of a fair cash valuation of said entire plant and property, but the said —— shall be entitled to no compensation by reason of the value of the franchise hereby granted. In the event of the City Council of Alexandria and the said —— its successor or assigns, being unable at least six months prior to the terminstion of this grant, or within thirty days after the forfeiture thereof, to agree upon a fair and just cash valuation of said plant and property, then and in that event, such valuation shall be determined by arbitrators, one to be appointed by the City Council of Alexandria, one by the said——, its successors or assigns, and the third (in case of disagreement by such arbitrators) by these two arbitrators, or, in the event of the the two so chosen being unable, within twenty days after the date of the appointment of whichever of the two was last appointed, to agree upon a valuation, or failing that to agree upon a third arbitrator, the third arbitrator shall be appointed, by the then Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Virginia, and the three arbitrators so appointed, shall proceed to establish a fair cash valuation of said plant and propertys excluding the value of or any compensation for the franchise hereby granted, and upon the payment of the amount so established and fixed to the said ——, its successors or assigns, by City Council of Alexandria, the said plant and property shall thereupon vest absolutely in the City Council of Alexandria, and any expense incurred for compensation for the three arbitrators so appointed, shall be borne by the said——, its successors or assigns, and the said City Council of Alexandria, equally.

4. The City Council of Alexandria expressly reserves the right to impose other reasonable regulations, conditions and requirements upon the said ——, its successors or assigns and to pass such other ordinances as may be necessary to secure efficiency of public service by said ——, its successors or assigns, at reasonable rates, and to compel the said —— ——, its successors or assigns, to maintain said plant and property of the said —— —— in good order throughout the term of this grant; and it is hereby expressly provided that for a failure to comply with any material provision of this ordinance or of any such regulation, condition, requirement or other ordinance, this ordinance may be declared forfeited by said City Council of Alexandria, and be repealed, and